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Sir:

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WO 00/54557 was cited in the International Preliminary Report on Patentability (IPRP)(copy enclosed) that issued on March 14, 2006 in the international application PCT/EP2005/003119. A copy of the English-language translation of the IPRP is also enclosed.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

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